

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4992
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CONCESSION TO PATIENTS TRAVELLING IN TRAINS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government have a proposal to provide concession to patients travelling in trains and going to various hospitals in different States for treatment;
- (b) if so, whether the concession would be granted in all trains and in all classes;
- (c) if so, the details of the concession proposed to be granted; and
- (d) the date from which it would come into effect?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a): Concession in train fares is presently admissible to Cancer, T.B., Thalassemia, Non-infectious Leprosy, Heart and Kidney patients, subject to certain conditions. There is no other proposal under consideration for providing concessions.

(b) to (d): Do not arise.